

Title:	Copies of two dispatches upon the subject of the Welland Canal, 1827-1828		
Creator:	Maitland, Sir Peregrine		
Dates of Material:	1827-1828	Record Group Number:	RG 258
Summary of Contents:	6 p. ; 35 x 22 cm.		
Physical Description / Condition:	Item is in excellent condition, with minor wear on the edges.		
Administrative/ Biographical Sketch	The material is a printed record of two dispatches sent by Sir Peregrine Maitland, Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada to secretary of state for the colonies, the first in 1827 to Earl Bathurst, the second in 1828 to Right Hon. W. Huskisson. The dispatches concern funding for the canal as well as an introduction of William Hamilton Merritt as managing agent of the Welland Canal Company. It was the intention of the Welland Canal Company to send Mr. Merritt to England to gain further assistance from the government and private investors.		
Location:	Brock University Archives		
Source Information:			

Subject Headings:	600	1	0	Merritt, William Hamilton, d1793-1862.
	650		0	Canals zOntario xFinance.
	651		0	Welland Canal (Ont.) xHistory.
Added Entries:	700	1		Maitland, Peregrine, cSir, d1777-1854.
Related material held at other repositories:				
Described by:	Edie Williams			Date: May 2010